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# 3M<sup>TM</sup> Scotchgard<sup>TM</sup> Graphic and Surface Protection Film 8995-124

## **Description**

3M<sup>TM</sup> Scotchgard<sup>TM</sup> Graphic and Surface Protection Film 8995-124 is a matte, graffiti resistant, durable overlaminate . It can be used with a variety of 3M graphic films that will be applied to flat surfaces without rivets.

### **Advantages**

- Provides graffiti-resistant protection
- Superior resistance against harsh solvents
- Abrasion resistant
- Easy to clean
- Low surface gloss eliminates glare

### **Applications and End Uses**

- Protection of interior graphics and signs
- Protection of interior substrates and surfaces

## **Limitations of End Uses**

Any other application is NOT warranted by 3M or covered by the worldwide 3M MCS warranty unless 3M gives its prior written approval for the application.

Specifically, 3M cannot warrant this product for the following applications:

- Exterior applications
- Application on corrugated and irregular surfaces with and without rivets.
- Applications subject to excessive vandalism or product abuse such as cutting or gouging resulting in damage to the substrate
- Application onto Non-3M films
- Graphics made for automotive Original Equipment Manufacturers (OEM); contact 3M Automotive Division for alternatives.

## **Compatible Products**

• 3M<sup>TM</sup> Graphic Marking Films

(for details and compatibility please refer to the corresponding Product Bulletin)

• Selected 3M application tapes

#### **Product Line**

This product is available in the following dimensions.

• 1.219m x 50m

Please contact 3M sales office for stock available and lead times.

## **Characteristics**

This information is subject to change. Be sure this is the most current Product Bulletin.

Property	Description
Film (8995-124)	0.023 mm PET
Adhesive type	Permanent, clear pressure sensitive
Liner	120g/m <sup>2</sup> kraft paper
Application surface	Flat
Application temperature range	10° to 38° C
Use temperature range	-55°C to + 90°C
Surface Gloss @60°	35 G.U. +/-10 G.U

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# Effective Performance Life & Warranty

a Scotchprint® Only Graphics Authorised 3Мтм  $MCS^{TM}$ Manufacturer or Qualified  $3M^{TM}$ Manufacturer MCS<sup>TM</sup> can produce Warranted Graphics. The warranty period is based on field experience and exposure tests. When the graphics are processed and used according to the 3M recommendations, they should have the performance life shown in the table below. The actual performance depends on the:

- Use with compatible products
- Correct combination of films and inks
- Selection and preparation of the substrates
- Application methods employed
- Cleaning and maintenance methods employed
- Exposure conditions in service

## **Warranted Durability**

Product	Interior
8995-124	6 years

Note: Maximum durability will not exceed that of the film or substrate on which this is laminated.

Commercial Graphics Division products are not tested against automotive manufacturer's specifications and are, therefore, not warranted for use in fabricating graphics for automotive OEM's.

## **Fabrication**

This bulletin does not contain detailed printing, processing or application procedures for the subject products. The appropriate Instruction Bulletin(s) may be obtained by contacting your 3M sales representative or 3M Technical Service.

Printed graphics must be dry prior to lamination.

#### **Roll Lamination**

Scotchgard  $^{\text{TM}}$  8995 -124 film can be roll laminated onto other films or substrates using the standard laminator set-up.

# **Premasking / Prespacing**

Conditions	3M Brand Application Tapes
General Premasking	SCPM-19
General Prespacing	SCPS-100

# Shelf Life, Shipping and Storage

The shelf life of the film is 2 years and should be applied within 2 years of the receipt of film if unprocessed. Processed film should be applied within 1 year of processing and within 2 years of receipt of the film.

Film, sheeting and markings must be stored in a clean area, free from excessive moisture and direct sunlight, with ambient temperatures below 38°C.

## **Related 3M Literature**

Listed below is related 3M Technical Literature which may be of interest:

Subject	Bulletin No.	
Instruction Bulletins		
Design of Markings	2.1	
Scoring and Cutting	4.1	
Premasking and Prespacing	4.3	
Surface Preparation	5.1	
Application on Rail Vehicles	5.1.1	
Application	5.5	
Storage, Maintenance and Removal	6.5	

# **Health & Safety**

Refer to the package label and the Material Safety Data Sheet for health, safety, and handling information on the products referenced in this bulletin. For 3M products, if necessary, you may contact our Toxicology/Product Responsibility Department on 01344 858000.

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## **Important Notice to Purchaser**

The 3M products described in this publication are covered by a 3M warranty and limitation of liability.

3M's warranty provides that if 3M finds that goods are defective in material or workmanship they will be replaced or the price refunded at 3M's option but note that 3M does not accept liability for other direct losses (except for personal injury or death) or consequential losses relating to defective products or from information supplied by 3M.

Purchasers and users of 3M products, and not 3M supplying companies, are always solely responsible for deciding on the suitability of the 3M product for their required or intended use.

## **Technical Assistance**

For help on specific questions relating to 3M Commercial Graphics Division Products, contact your local Technical Service Representative.

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